



City of Banning Electric Department

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Dear City of Banning Electric Utility Customer,

The State of California passed legislation in the form of Senate Bill 1305, which requires load serving Electric Utilities to provide customers with a copy of the Power Content Label on a quarterly basis. This Label breaks down the type of energy resources that are used to serve the Utility's electric customers. Below is the current Power Content Label, as provided by the California Energy Commission. The Banning Electric Utility has listed its current power mix as projected for the upcoming quarter. The CA Power Mix represents the breakdown for the State overall for the referenced year and is shown for comparison.

The City also adopted a Renewable Portfolio Standard which requires the Electric Utility to report: (1) expenditures of Public Benefits funds collected for renewable energy resources along with a description of programs, expenditures and expected or actual results [*\$97,576 of PB funds were used in 2008 for renewable energy resources, with an estimated 55,608 kWh of electricity being produced annually*]; (2) the resource mix used to serve its retail customers by fuel type, including the contribution of each type of renewable energy resource [*See the Power Content Label below*]; and (3) total expenditures for renewable resources funded by Electric revenues due to ongoing support by our customer-owners for renewable power [*The Electric Utility spent \$944,627 of Power Resource funds on renewable resources in 2008*]. Please contact the Electric Utility at (951) 922-3265 if you have any questions regarding this information.

POWER CONTENT LABEL		
ENERGY RESOURCES	BANNING POWER* (projected)	2007 CA POWER MIX** (for comparison)
Eligible Renewable	19%	10%
-- Biomass & waste	0%	<1%
-- Geothermal	19%	2%
-- Small hydroelectric	0%	6%
-- Solar	0%	<1%
-- Wind	0%	2%
Coal	69%	32%
Large Hydroelectric	1%	24%
Natural Gas	0%	31%
Nuclear	11%	3%
Other	0%	0%
TOTAL	100%	100%
* 100% of Banning Power is specifically purchased from individual suppliers.		
** Percentages are estimated annually by the California Energy Commission based on electricity sold to California consumers during the previous year.		
For specific information about this electricity product, contact Company Name. For general information about the Power Content Label, contact the California Energy Commission at 1-800-555-7794 or www.energy.ca.gov/consumer .		